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Subject: Incidental Take Permit Application for Sandell Warehouse Project Building 2,

2081-2022-031-03, Sonoma County

Dear Mr. Sandell:

As of July 22, 2022, the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) received your revised Incidental Take Permit Application and the appropriate application fee. CDFW reviewed your request for authorization, pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 2081, subdivision (b), to incidentally take<sup>1</sup> California tiger salamander (*Ambystoma californiense*), a species designated as threatened pursuant to the California Endangered Species Act (CESA) (Fish & G. Code, § 2050 et seq.). (See Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 670.5, subd. (b)(3)(G)). **CDFW has determined that the above-referenced application is complete**.

CDFW has 90 days from the date the application is accepted as complete to finalize the Permit, in accordance with California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 783.5. CDFW cannot finalize the Permit until CDFW has received your certified California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) document along with the Findings, Notice of Determination, and a copy of proof of payment for the environmental filing fee. If you have any questions, please contact Melanie Day, Senior Environmental Scientist (Supervisory), at <a href="Melanie.Day@wildlife.ca.gov">Melanie.Day@wildlife.ca.gov</a> or (707) 210-4415; or Craig Weightman, Environmental Program Manager, at <a href="Craig.Weightman@wildlife.ca.gov">Craig.Weightman@wildlife.ca.gov</a> or (707) 339-1332.

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:

Erin Chappell

Erin Chappell Regional Manager Bay Delta Region

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 86, "'Take' means hunt, pursue, catch, capture, or kill, or attempt to hunt, pursue, catch, capture, or kill." See also *Environmental Protection Information Center v. California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection* (2008) 44 Cal.4th 459, 507 (for purposes of incidental take permitting under Fish and Game Code section 2081, subdivision (b), "take' ... means to catch, capture or kill").

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